Commission are under consideration of the Sub-Committee of the Inter-State Council. After the Sub-Committee has completed its deliberations, it would submit its report to the Inter-State Council. The Inter-State Council, in turn, would submit its recommendations/views for consideration of the Government of India. As the matter is still under consideration, no final decision has been arrived at on any of the recommendations of the Sarkaria Commission.

Freedom Fighter Pensions in Andhra Pradesh

1736. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many applications from Andhra Pradesh are pending for sanction of freedom fighters pension;

(b) since how long they are pending; and

(c) at what stage of consideration are they, what is the likely date of settlement of the same with details district wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) to (c) All the applications for grant of freedom fighters' pension received from the applicants in the State of Andhra Pradesh within the prescribed date; i.e. 31st March 1982 have been examined and decisions already communicated to the applicants at least once. 3371 claims received after 31.3.1982 were pending consideration with the Government as on 1.12.1993. Majority of these claims had been received on various dates after 25th October, 1985 which was the last date for receipt of applications in the case of persons which had suffered in the border camps in connection with the Hyderabad Liberation Movement. The District-wise details of these applications arc given in the attached statement *(See* below). While every effort is being made to take early decisions on these claims, receipt and disposal of such claims being a continuous process, it would be difficult to prescribe any definite time schedule for their disposal.

STATEMENT

Sl No.	Name of the District	No. of pending Applications
1.	Khammam	1099
2.	Nalgonda	670
3.	Warangal	627
4.	Karim Nagar	623
5.	Mahbubnagar	189
6.	Hyderabad	128
7.	Medak	20
8.	Krishna	4
9.	Adilabad	2
10.	Secunderabad	2
11.	Guntur	3
12.	Prakasam	1
13.	Nellore	2
14.	Visakapatnam	1
	Total	3371

Issue of Pass to Non-Officials Visiting Various Ministries

1737. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the conditions or instructions relating to the issue of Photopass to non-officials allowing access to various Ministries buildings under the control of the Ministry of Home Affairs Security; and

(b) whether Government would furnish a list of non-officials holding such valid Identity Cards or Photopasses issued upto date?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): (a) Non-officials who have to frequently visit the Ministries/Departments of the Government of India can apply for Photo Passes giving adequate justification. If the non-officials has to visit only a particular Ministry/Department, then ,:pnlv a